

# Sentence Combining: Clauses

**Directions:** **Combine** each pair of sentences. Use a subordinate clause that begins with the conjunction or pronoun shown in parentheses. Write the new sentence on the lines.

1. (*that*) Chimpanzees are raised in captivity. They cannot survive on their own in the wild.

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2. (*because*) Chimpanzee shelters are needed in Africa. People have donated their time and money.

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3. (*who*) Jane Goodall is a famous wildlife expert. She said she would help set up the shelters.

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4. (*before*) In the wild, five years may pass. A baby chimp stops nursing from its mother.

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5. (*while*) Baby chimps grow up at the shelters. They receive their milk from bottles.

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6. (*who*) The workers take care of the chimps. The workers must teach them new survival skills.

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7. (*after*) One female chimp had lived for years in a cage. She had to learn how to climb trees and pick berries.

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8. (*who*) One orphan had become sick. He lost all his hair.

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9. (*which*) The orphan was named Uruhara. It means “bald” in an African language.

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10. (*because*) Now Uruhara has hair again. He received lots of love and good care in the sanctuary.

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